

It has come to our attention that the FCC is considering allowing Low Power FM stations to take priority over current FM translator services, two of which me, my family and many of our friends greatly enjoy, namely K-Love(FM 88.9), and CSN Radio(FM 89.5). There is absolutely nothing locally that even comes close to these two stations that are both FM translators! One of the reasons that these types of stations have such an appeal to a nation-wide audience is that the content is exceptional, and therefore works very well in various different cities and communities in a cost efficient way.

If the type of station were to be taken off the air it would make it virtually impossible, (especially for smaller communities to receive this kind of quality programming.) It is just too exorbitantly Expensive to reproduce this kind of programming at a local level. Both of these stations are non-profit organizations that rely on their listerers to support them to stay on the air. Since they have the listener support, it is obviously somthing that is of value to the listeners. It is a great service to the public to allow these great stations to provide the quality proگرامing that they do, and would be very detrimental to many people especially in smaller communities if these types of stations were in any way hindered. The surplus that these stations receive in some of the larger areas help to provide to the poorer area that could in no way support such a quality station, but never-the -less would love to be able to enjoy the benefits. Please consider these comments as you make your determination what is in the best interest of the community. Thank you.

Sincerely,

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